

STATE OF RHODE ISLAND
NEWPORT, SC

SUPERIOR COURT

LINDA CRAWFORD
Plaintiff

VS

C.A. No. NC-2023-0189

SALVE REGINA UNIVERSITY (SRU);
SALVE REGINA UNIVERSITY BOARD
OF TRUSTEES THROUGH ITS PRESIDENT
DR. KELLIE J. ARMSTRONG; JAMES G.
MITCHELL, CHAIR SRU DEPARTMENT OF
MODERN LANGUAGES and PRESIDENT,
SALVE REGINA AAUP CHP; ESTHER
ALARCON-ARANA, FACULTY, SRU DEPT.
OF MODERN LANGUAGES; EMILY
COLBERT-CAIRNS; FACULTY, SRU DEPT.
OF MODERN LANGUAGES
Defendant

DEFENDANTS' REMOVAL NOTICE PURSUANT TO 28 U.S.C. § 1446(d)

Defendants hereby give notice under 28 U.S.C. § 1446(d) that they have filed the Notice of Removal (the "Notice of Removal") attached hereto as *Exhibit 1* in the United States District Court for the District of Rhode Island (the "Federal Court"). Defendants' filing of this and the attached Notice of Removal with the Clerk of this Court shall effect removal of this action to the Federal Court, and this Court may proceed no further unless and until this case is remanded.

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Respectfully submitted,

Defendants,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that on September 13, 2023, I caused a copy of the foregoing document to be served upon counsel of record via electronic mail as follows:

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